



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: Shao et al
Group Art Unit: 3683
Examiner: Devon C. Kramer
Title: Friction Material Configuration and Method
Of Manufacture for Brake Applications
Attorney Docket: 2448-000011

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2005, please consider the following.

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.